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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d)  Yes e) No.  If Yes, brief description:						
Claim(s) discussed: <u>1 and 9</u> .						
Identification of prior art discussed: <u>IT 1188128</u> .						
Agreement with respect to the claims f)⊠ was reached. g)□ was not reached. h)□ N/A.						
Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: <u>After consultation and reconsideration the Examiner withdraws the recapture rejections of Claims 1 and 9 because the change from "supersaturated" to "saturated" is considered to correct a prior antecedent problem. As to whether the apparatus of It 1188128 produces saturated steam, no decision was reached.</u>						
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